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TAGS: SNAR, DR

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR TRAINING OF DRUG DETECTING DOG HANDLERS

1. FOLLOWING IS INFORMAL TRANSLATION AND CONDENSATION
OF LETTER EMBASSY RECEIVED FROM NATIONAL POLICE CHIEF, MAJ GEN
NEIT RAFAEL NIVAR SEIJAS, ADDRESSED TO JOHN L. MCLUCAS,
SECRETARY OF THE US AIR FORCE:

QUOTE I HAVE THE PLEASURE OF INFORMING YOU THAT THE DOMINICAN
NATIONAL POLICE, IN THE INTEREST OF FIGHTING MORE EFFICIENTLY
THE TRAFFIC AND USE OF NARCOTIC DRUGS, AS WELL AS THE
DETECTION OF WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES, IN OUR COUNTRY, WILL
ESTABLISH A DIVISION OF DOG TRAINERS FOR THE DETECTION OF
DANGEROUS DRUGS, WEAPONS, AND EXPLOSIVES. TO THIS END WE
WOULD APPRECIATE THE USE OF YOUR GOOD AND VALUABLE OFFICES
SO AS TO OBTAIN THE NECESSARY AUTHORIZATION FOR THE FOLLOW-
ING NOMINEES TO RECEIVE TRAINING AT THE AIR FORCE SCHOOL OF
DOG HANDLERS. THIS INSTITUTION WOULD LIKE TO NOMINATE
SECOND LIEUTENANTS LIC. JOSE GONZALEZ TAPIA AND RENE E.
LUNA PEREZ, AS WELL AS PRIVATE RICARDO EMILIO SANCHEZ HENRIQUEZ.
QUOTE AWAITING YOUR KING AND POSITIVE REPLY, I THANK YOU IN
ADVANCE AND REMAIN, S/ NEIT RAFAEL NIVAR SEIJAS END QUOTE

2. EMBASSY COMMENT: US CUSTOMS RECENTLY PUT ON A DRUG
DETECTION DOG DEMONSTRATION IN THE DR AT THE INITIATIVE OF
GENERAL NIVAR. U.S. CUSTOMS TOLD NATIONAL POLICE OFFICIALS
THAT BEFORE ANY DOMINICAN POLICE OFFICERS COULD RECEIVE
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TRAINING AT THE U.S. CUSTOMS SCHOOL OF DOG TRAINERS FOR

THE DETECTION OF DRGUS THEY WOULD HAVE TO GO THROUGH A
COURSE SUCH AS THE AIR FORCE SCHOOL OF DOG HANDLERS. THE
NATIONAL POLICE WOULD LIKE TO SEND THESE MEN ON TO THE U.S.
CUSTOMS SCHOOL IMMEDIATELY AFTER COMPLETING TRAINING WITH
THE AIR FORCE SCHOOL.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE INSTRUCTION
FOR RESPONSE TO GENERAL NIVAR.
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